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Notice of Comment Period on the Reappointment of Part-Time U.S. Magistrate Judge Jon T. Huseby

Date: April 13, 2018 Contact: Tricia Pepin (612) 664-5129

Part-time United States Magistrate Judge Jon T. Huseby's current term of office is set to expire on February 24, 2019. The United States District Court, District of Minnesota invites comments from members of the bar and public as to whether incumbent Part-Time Magistrate Judge Jon T. Huseby should be recommended for reappointment. Comments should be received by 5:00 p.m. (CST) on Friday, May 11, 2018, and may be directed to:

U.S. District Court Clerk's Office ATTN: Tricia Pepin, Chief Deputy Clerk 300 South Fourth Street, Room 202 Minneapolis, MN 55415 meritselectionpanel@mnd.uscourts.gov

As required by law, the United States District Court, District of Minnesota will establish a Merit Selection Panel of citizens to consider the reappointment of Part-Time Magistrate Judge Jon T. Huseby to a new four-year term. The Court will publicly announce the Merit Selection Panel members at a later date.

The duties of Magistrate Judges are enumerated in 28 U.S.C. § 636 and Local Rule 72.1. The duties of a part-time magistrate judge generally include presiding over initial proceedings in criminal cases; trials of misdemeanor cases, including petty offenses; and pretrial matters and other proceedings in criminal cases. Part-time Magistrate Judges are appointed by the United States District Court for four-year terms and may be reappointed to successive terms.